The schooner Caroline E. Foote arrived restenday from San Francisco, bringing papers to May 3d, with two days later Eastern news. She sailed again the same day for Japan and

The thip Lotus would sail for Honolula and Hongkong about the 10th to 12th, and is probably now ten days out. We notice no special change in the San Francisco market The Speedwell had not arrived up to the evening of the 3d, 14

days out. She sailed hence on the 19th April. The bark Comet is awalting the arrival of produce from windward, and will probably sail on Saturday at the intest. The bark Kathleen will get away about the same time.

We hear that the schoopers Odd Fellow and Kolama have been chartered to proceed on foreign emises—the former on a trading voyage to the Arctic, and the latter on a guano expedi-

Our harbor has become quite bare of shipping, there being but four square-rigged vessels in port. All kinds of business are depressed, with little or nothing doing. Sugar is held at 60 @ Sc; coffee, at Dic; flour, jobbing at \$10 @ \$12, with only local demand. In the lumber line, boards have been scarce for some weeks; but two cargoes of assorted lumber are supposed to be now on their way hither, which will supply the trade.

Cocoaser Orn.-The quantity of this oil imported into London Cocoast Off.—The quantity of this oil imported into London from all countries during last year, was greatly in excess of the year previous, being 13,500 tons against 8,100 tons in 1800, and the quantity exported was was also very large, viz., 10,900 tons, whilst the home consumption was only 1,500 tons, being 1,500 tons less than in 1800. The stock on hand Jan. 1st, '62, was rather large, viz., 2,600 tons, but very little is in course of shipment from Cochia and Ceylon, and imports for some months at least must be much below an average. The review of the mar ket for hat year shows that there were considerable fluctuations in price during the year. Cochin and Ceylon, in January, were quoted 55s. and 55s. per cwt. respectively. In July the price had declined to 44s. and 42s. per cwt., caused chiefly by the break up of the tallow speculation; but with a good expert demand prices soon improved, and by the end of September Cochin was worth 50s. and Ceylon 48s. @ 49s. 64. per cwt. In October and November the market was very firm, and 50s. 1d. and 40s. 6.1 per cwt. paid in many instances, but there was less demand during the last week of the year, and at its close prices were a little earler.

RAILWAYS OF THE WORLD .- There are 31,800 miles of rail roads in the United States of which there are 20,688,51 in the free, and but 11,111,43 in the slave states. Total cost of the entire lines has been \$1,192,302,015. Last year there were only 631 miles built, against a previous annual average of 2 000 miles. But although the construction of roads decreased, the traffic on the Northern roads was greater than any previous year, e condition of our rail r ads is favorable at present. The length of railways in operation in Great Britain and Ireland is 19,750 miles, 360 miles of which were tuilt last year. Treiand is 19,750 miles, 360 miles of which were built last year. Their entire cost of construction amounts to £355,000,000 (about \$1,775,000,000.) There are 5.801 becometives, 15,076 passenger carriages, and 180,574 freight cars, used on these railways. Last year they carried 163,435,578 passengers, 60,000,000 tons minerals, and 29,500,000 of general merchandise. France has 6,147 miles of railway, worked by 3,000 locome-

tives; 3,500 miles of new lines are being constructed. Total cost of completed lines \$922,200,000. Prussia 3,162 miles in operation; Austria 3,165 miles; the other German states have 3,250 miles; Spain has 1,450 miles; Italy, 1,350; Rome, 50; Russia, 1,289; Denmark, 262; Norway, Raty, 1,360; Rome, 50; Rossia, 1,289; Denmark, 262; Norway, 61; Sweden, 288; Belgium, 955; Holland, 308; Switzerland, 600, Portugal, 80; Turkey, 80; Egypt, 204.

In the British colonies, there are 1,408 miles in the East Indies, Canada, 1,825; New Brunswick, 175; Nova Scotla, 99; Victoria, 183; New South Wales, 125; Cape of Good Hope, 28. Making a total of 14,277 miles in operation in the British Empire, the entire cost of which has been \$2,086,765,000.

The total length of railways in the world is about 69,733 miles. Their estimated cost is about \$5,817,200,000. Nearly one-half the length of lines belong to the United States; and one fourth.

the length of lines belong to the United States; and one fourth to Great Britain and Colonies. The cost of the latter, however, is about twice that of our railroads.

Moon's Phases at Honolulu, in May. 

LATEST DATES, received at this Office. San Francisco.....May 3 | London, (papers)...Feb. 8
New York, (papers), March 22 | "telegraphic. April 6
"telegraphic. May 1 | Hongkong.....Mar. 1
Tabiti.....Jan. — Sydney, N. S. W.,...Jan. 13

Shipe' Mails. Fon Sax Francisco—per Comet, on Saturday.
Fon Kona—per Kekauluchi, Friday.
For Lanaina—per Emma Rocke, Friday or Saturday.
Fon Hillo—per Maria to-day, & Nettle, Friday or Saturday.

# PORT OF HONOLULU, H. I.

ARRIVALS May 15—Sch Kamoi, Shepherd, from Kahului, with 29 phgs beef, 10 do, sugar, 6 do, molasses, 30 hides, 10 bgs

beef, 10 do. sugar, 6 do. molasses, 30 hides, 10 bgs corn meal, and 20 passengers.

16—Sch Odd Fellow, Morse, from Hanalei, with 20 cords wood, 27 bels molasses, 120 tags coffee. Passengers—Rev A Wilcox and son, 3 others, and 8 deck passengers.

16—Sch Jeannette, Green, fm Maliko, with 155 kegs sugar, 32 bels molasses, 3 begs fungus.

17—Sch Kalama, Wetherbee, from windward ports, with 1600 fbs poi, 30 brls potators. Passengers—Rev J F Pogne, wife and 4 children, Mr Daniels, one Chinaman, and 28 natives on deck.

18—Am bark Yankee, Claxton, 18 days from San Francisco, with malse to Wilcox, Richards 4 Co.

18—Stemmer Kilames, McGregor, from windward ports, with 2234 brls potatoes, 33 bales wood, 9 bales pulu, 8 bags fungus, 386 hiles, 4 bdls goat skins, 8 tres tallow, 12 boxes honey, 14 bags coffee, 2 cs nulse, 2 relis leather, 3 pkgs vegetables, 1 box peaches, 5 bullocks, 22 sheep, 10 pigs, 1 horse, 1 pkg specie (\$618).

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18—Sch Metwahine, Kuheana, from Koloa and Nawiliwill,
23 hours from latter place, with 7 bugs (1200 fbs)
rice, 23 kegs sugar, 18 bags potatoes, 1 bri tallow,
1 do. beef, 11 hides, 8 pkgs cheese, 12 cords wood, 4 pigs, and 23 deck passengers. 19—Sch Moiseiki, Napela. Im Kahului and Lahaina, with 3 bules fungus, 16 hides, 2 cabin and 6 passengers

on deck. 18-Sch Kamehameha IV, Johnson, from Kalepolepo, with 11 cords wood, 2 bris molasses. 18—Sloop Emma, Rye, from Wainina, with 20 bales pulu-18—Sloop Express, fm Molokal, with 50 bags lime, 5 kegs ter, 3 hides, 3 hors fish, 1 brt oil.

19—8ch Maris, Crane, from Hilo, with 260 kegs sugar, 65 bales palu, 20 bags arrowroot, 30 hides, 1 bdl goat 21 Sch Kekauluohi, Henry, from Kona and Kau, with 24 bags fungus, 1400 cocoanuts, 500 citrons, 1 pkg honey, 2 kegs butter, 16 hides, 500 goat skins, 2 hogs, 4 cords wood—1 cabin and 27 passengers on

21-Am brigt Caroline E. Foote, Worth, 17 days, from San Francisco, en route for Japan and the Amoor, touched outside; she left a few papers, and continued on her course. 22-Seb Nettle Merrill, Borres, from Hilo and Labaina.

### DEPARTURES.

May 15-Steamer John T. Wright, Watson, for Japan and Shanghae. 15-Sch Manuokawai, Haley, for Lahaina, Kona and Kau. 18—Am wh ship Ocean, Clark, for the Arctic.
19—Sch Kamot, Shepherd, for Lahatma and Kahului.
19—Haw sch Kitty Cartwright, Copeland, for Fanning's 20—Am bark Arctic, Hammond, for Boston.
20—Haw sch Mailda, Greig, for Fanning's Island.
20—Steamer Kilanea, Berrill, for Lahnina, Kawaihae and

other windward ports.

20—Sch Kamehameha, Johnson, for Hanalei.

20—Sch Mojwahine, Kuheaun, for Nawiliwili, Kolon, and 21—Am brigt Mary Capen, Savory, for Shanghae. 21—Sch Moikeiki, Napela, for Lahaina and Kabului. 21—Sch Maria, Crane, for Lahaina, Hilo and Puna.

### IMPORTS.

PROM SAN FRANCISCO-PER YANKER, MAY 18 Chung Hoon—3 boxes and 7 cases shres, 1 case cutiery, 10 bales dry goods, 1 bale thread, 1 bale and 3 case shirts, 2 boxes ink, 1 case gaiters, 3 cs boots, 1 cs hats, 2 cs hdkfs, 1 cs paints, 1 case ribbons and clocks. 1 cs cloth, 1 bale lamps, 1 cs cases, 3 pkgs provisions, 4 boxes flour, 1 box soy, 30 boxes bread, 10 do. oil, 70 coils rope, 4 bales tes. A. D. Cartwright—3 es crackers, 1 es mustard, 5 es starch, 3 es vermicelli, 2 es cloves, 2 es lard, 1 sack wainuts, 1 es cheese, 3 bris vinegar, 2 case pickles, 1 case carraway seed, 40 qr sacks

Mossman & Son- 60 or sacks flour, 15 tins crackers, I es oil, II W Severance-2 rolls rubber packing, 1 case clothing, 2 express wagons.

S. Savidge—100 sacks cats, S pkgs tea, 10 boxes pepper, 2 cs cheese, 14 crackers, 1 ceroon dates.

Janion, Green & Co.—54 plates fron, 1 roll subber packing, 1 case mise, 5 merino rams.

Wilcox, Richards & Co.—11 pkgs machinery, 28 nests tubs,

25 baxes candles, 25,144 ft lumber, 100 M shingles.
F. S. Pratt & Co.—1 half bet whisky, 6 cs champagne, 1 case wm. Stott—1 cs glassware, 1 nest tubs, 1 box candles, 2 cs. iii, 1 basket champagne, 5 bris and 8 half bris salmon.
Order—5 bris whitky.

1. Dimond & Son.
1. M. Whitney—2 cases stationery.
Noite & Kruget—3 kegs beer, 1 pkg. S. Grinbaum - I case shirts. drich, Walker & Co. -96 half bels and 2 bels salmon. Rhodes -55 bels gin, I balf bel whisky.

Armstrong-1 pkg glass.
Jones-1 case dry goods.

P. C. Jones—I case dry goods.
J. M. Smith—I case dry goods, I cs dentistry.
G. W. Claxton—I pkgs music, 2 boxes apples.
W. Goodale—I pkg books.
A. J. Cartwright—I pkg books, etc., 4 cs hay.
Fisher—I pkg sewing silk.
Coffin—I case dry goods.
Wilkins & Horn—I trunk clathing, I keg ale.
b. C. Rapes—I case dry goods. D. C. Bates-1 case dry goods. Order-11 pkgs unspecified mase, etc.

### EXPORTS.

### PASSENGERS.

For Windsam Pours—per Kilauca, May 18—Rev A Thurston, wife and 2 children, Prof W D Alexander, wife and child, a Symmetry of W D Alexander, wife and child, a Symmetry of W D Alexander, wife and child, a Symmetry of W D Alexander, wife and child, a Symmetry of Symmetry o

Tr Bark Fanker, Clayton, reports-Sailed from Honolulu Wednesday, March 26, and discharged the pilot at 24 P. M. First week, had fresh breezes from N.E. to E.N.E.; afterwards, S.E. to S.W. Last three days, had the wind from N.W. Made the Farraleones at 11 A. M., Wednesday, April 9, and anchored at San Francisco at 4 P. M. Sailed again for Honolulu April 30, and crossed the bar at 4 P. M.; first week, had light winds from S.W. to W. Between lat. 24° and 26° N., long. 138° and 145° W., had two days strong trades, when the wind hauled to N.W., and continued from that quarter, with little variation, until 4 P. M. of the 18th inst., off the west end of Molokai, when we again took the trades, and at 61 P. M., the

pilot came on board. May 11, lat. 25° 39 N., long. 108° 24 W., passed a wreck, the stump of one must standing, which was quite black. The wreck was three quarters of a mile to windward : it was blowing very strong at the time from N.P. with a housy cross sea conning, and the bark under a press of canvas. When the wreck was first seen it was four points on our starboard bow, but was not reported until it was abaft the beam; the sea, as would be, with a heavy sunken body, was awashing entirely over it Being satisfied that there was no life about it, and knowing that we could not work the vessel up against so strong a wind and tions, to use an apt phrase of the Polynesian, heavy sea before night, she was kent on her course.

#### VESSELS IN PORT-MAY 22.

Am bork Comet, Smith, soon for San Francisco Am bark Yankee, Claxton, for San Francisco. Brit bark Kathleen, Marchant, soon for San Francisco. Haw wh brig Kohola, Brummerhop.

#### THE PACIFIC Commercial Advertiser.

THURSDAY, MAY 22.

THE BUDGET of the Minister of Finance, as laid before the Legislature, will be found in full on our first page. It shows a total estimated expenditure for the two coming years of \$484 .-243 95, or \$242,141 98 per annum. As compared with the budget laid before the last Legislature, the reduction is so great, that the first question that presents itself to the reader is, what causes the difference? To this we shall refer again, merely remarking now that the Minister has by this time learned that he is not a very shrewd guesser on government fiscal matters, for in his report for 1860, he estimated the revenue of the government for the two years ending March 31, 1862, at \$756,353 52; but they proved to be only \$681,821 48, including upwards of \$130,000 of borrowed money. His estimate then fell short over \$74,000.

The Budget opens, as usual, with the Civil List, for which the sum of \$40,000 is called, which is a decrease from the amount voted in the previous bill, caused by a transfer of the salary of Prince Kamehameha, and one or two other items, to other departments. We do not see that any improvement is made by this change, and it strikes us that the more appropriate place for the salary of His Royal Highness is in the Civil List. We have before recommended a larger sum be voted to him (\$5,000 or \$6,000) not as Minister, but as one of the Roy ' Family, whom the nation is proud to honor and support, and we still adhere to that opinion. The change would seem to have been made by the Cabinet, as an effort to retain the salaries of the Ministers

at their present rate. The Department of the Interior opens with ter; and singularly enough, of the first ten items in this department, the only reduction proposed by the Budget is in the pay of the chief clerk, whose salary, of all those named, least merits curtailment. If retrenchment is to be the rule, let all be served alike, but do not single out the hard workers, the really deserving employees of the government, while sinecures remain untouch-If there is to be any reduction, apply it to

Attached to the salaries of the clerks of govwhich we quote:

salaries may be provided, shall be authorized to draw for more than the salary of the highest grade of office heid by him, which shall be deemed a full equivalent for all his services, and he shall be entitled to no other or further compensation, unless otherwise expressly authorized by law, or by the direction of His Majesty in Privy Council.

This is the first time that any such provision has been made in the bill, and it is a wise one, which we trust may be adopted, and rigidly adhered to. If officers of the government hold two or more the minor office dropped.

him, its propriety may be questioned. If, however, the rule of retrenchment is applied here, it should be extended to the Sheriffs of the other islands, where the pay is large compared with the service. The amounts voted for police appear as rather small, and yet under the present economical management, may perhaps suffice.

The next item of \$1,000 includes an appropriation for publishing judicial decisions and laws by authority in newspapers. Again, at the close of the appropriations for the judiciary department, we see the sum of \$600 inserted to cover the publication of judicial decisions. Now as the government has contracted for publishing these decisions and other authority notices in in the Polynesian, why this call for new appropriations for this object?

The budget enters \$5,600 for the Postmaster of Honolulu and Clerk. If a faithful active man holds the office of Postmaster, who is willing to work, there is no necessity for a clerk; and we believe the duties of Postmaster can be satisfactorily filled for \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year, thereby bringing the expenses of that department within

\$7,600 are called for, to pay for the government printing, in accordance with a contract. We shall have sometning to say on this head in another number, and the Representatives, before they vote it, will probably convince themselves of the necessity of the appropriation, what it is for, and for how long the monopoly is to last.

For the pay of Road Supervisors, so as to include the pay of Water Supervisor and Clerk of Honolulu Market, the su n of \$8,600 is inserted. This, it must be borne in mind, is for the pay of some 18 or 20 Road Supervisors, throughout the islands, the Water Supervisor, and clerk of the market. Now under the rule of retrenchment cannot the three offices of Road Superintendent pity that the government work should be allowfor Oahu, Water Superintendent and mariet clerk, be as well performed by one person, by

which a large reduction may be effected? ses of the " Prostitute Act," in other words, to emanated from any department of this govern- turning round the corner into Fort street, and was fipay the physician,-rather an expensive whistle, ment, and every way worthy of their most nally stopped near the engine-house of Mechanic, considering that \$8,200 more are wanted for the serious attention. If, after an examination into No. 2, by a gang of prisoners, who were fortunately hospital. Here, too, is another needless expense, the merits and demerits of these documents, form the service, and probably with as much prise and astonishment that, with the aid of two satisfaction to the public, if the disgraceful pros- of our most accomplished statisticians and also titute law is still to be continued in force.

ment to the public service.

in the list of its salaries. A large sum is called for to meet the interest on the public debt. As near as we can learn, over \$35,000 will be required for interest alone. For the Kilauca and interest on her stock, \$14,800, is wanted, in addition to \$20,000 reported as borrowed for this object in the debt account, making a total of \$34,800,almost enough to pay for the entire boat. We hope that if she is sent to China on speculation, the government will make enough to pay at least the interest on the stock invested in her.

The War Department very modestly calls for \$47,700 95, in one solid lump. We very much mistake the temper of the House, if that sum is blindly voted for it, in the shape, it is called for. It may all be required, perhaps, but in these hard times, when men have to wear shoes that pinch, it is as well to know where the money goes, and not permit "indefinite" appropriawithout a good reason therefor.

The sum of \$25,200 is inserted for the Department of Public Instruction, being \$12,200 less than that voted to it the previous session. The sum of \$6,000 is wanted for English and Select Schools. While any curtailment in the efficiency of this Department should be guarded against, we think and have before contended that all monies collected and disbursed for this or any other department, should be accounted for to the public treasury-that the receipts should be acknowledged in the treasurer's report, and the disbursements provided for in the bill of appro-

The Judiciary Department, owing to a proosed change in the mode of paving District Judges, shows a considerable reduction in the total amount called for. And yet it will strike the critical reader that the salaries paid are higher than the ability . f the treasury warrants. Could a permanent reduction be effected in this lepartment, it would be a public blessing.

A few "Miscellaneous" items of expenditure close the list. In looking over the payments out during the last fiscal term, we notice on pages 22 and 23 of the treasurer's report, after the miscellaneous head, various sums not included in the last appropriation Bill, and amounting in the aggregate to nearly \$40,000, including the sum of \$20,000 paid out for the Kilauca. There was full authority for that, and there may ave been for some of the others, but we do not trace them in the appropriation bill as it passed the house, and was published. By what authority, then, the sums expended can be placed under the head of sums appropriated by the last Legislature, is not clear, nor does any explanation for it appear in the Report. If the fourth section of the bill means any thing it should be

We question the wisdom of abandoning the bureau of Public Works, and all the public improvements. There is no branch of the service that has redounded more to the credit of the government, nor any whose discontinuance will be more sensibly felt throughout the islands. than this. If our public works are to be given up, or entrusted only to every pettifogging jobthe salary referred to above-that of the Minis- b.r, who chances to come along and solicit employment, our Ministers might as well put up

out asking the Legislature; or, what is most ernors appears a provision, entirely absurd, and likely, was it left out in order to make the bill intended to nullify an important section in the appear extraordinarily small, compared with his bill. That provision is contained in Section 5, former budget, in which the item was inserted. Secreta 6. No person holding one or more offices for which two years, it, as well as its interest, must be bill will be increased to nearly the proportions of former years. In other words the budget will

Sundries as per Minister's estimate......\$484,243.95

or an annual expenditure of \$290,621,98, inoffices, and the pay of one is not sufficient to sup- stead of the sum noted at the head of this article, port them, let the pay be increased, and that of to meet which, the Minister estimates an income for the two years of only \$492,000. If this The salary of the Marshal is lessened, and is the correct amount, and the deficiency is considering that increased duties are imposed on really so great, it becomes all-important for the legislature to cut every item of expenditure to the lowest possible figure, in order to meet the deficiency. In the present budget, we have seen that between thirty-five and forty thousand must be provided for interest alone. At this rate we shall soon have a load of interest for each legislature to provide for, of not less than \$50,000. These may be called small items, when applying to a nation, but it must be remembered we are not a very large nor a very strong nation, and

facts, the following wheedling palaver from the government organ appears supremely ridiculous :

Legislature of 1860, and \$485,243,95, the estimated expenditure for 1862-3, shows conclusively that "with a will there is a way," and proves beyond a cavil that the Ministers, while ying the noble impulse communicated to them from above, indicated in His Majesty's Speech, were competent to grap-successfully with the changed conditions of the country and

In looking over the Report of the Minister of Finance and accompanying tables, as issued in pamphlet form from the government press, we notice numerous typographical errors, both in the text and in the figures of the tables, some them quite inexcusable. With all the facilities for executing printing here, it seems a

budget over to the Representatives, as among the took fright, the rope becoming entangled around the A call for \$4,000 is made to defray the expen- most remarkable productions that have ever man's neck, started off at full speed along King street, inasmuch as the Hospital physician might per- they do not pass a vote expressive of their surthat of the wonderfully talented editor of the Scattered through the list of appropriations | Polynesian, a treasury report should not have for this department are many small items, of been presented to them, embracing at least a greater or less importance. The total amount full exhibit of the public finances and wants, called for is \$160,809, and a reduction of \$25,- free from errors,-if they do not pass such a 000 to \$30,000 can be made in it, with no detri- vote, the public will attribute the neglect more to a kindly spirit of forbearance than to its being The foreign office demands for its use \$23,200, unmerited. The report and budget form an--a sum larger by \$5,000 than that of the previ- other and extraordinary proof of the unfitness of ous bill, the increase being mainly to meet ex- the present Minister of Finance for the place | Robbery .- On Friday night last, the office of

Of all the pitiable whining ever uttered An Aquatic Excussion .- On Saturday last, a parby a distressed editor, that which appeared in ty of young Hawaiian ladies, of this city made a pleasure excursion to Puloa, or Pearl River. While the last Polynesian, in reply to our inquiries regarding certain suspicious-looking financial statistics of the government press, is the most curious. Losing his temper, he gives way to paroxysms which can only excite the laughter of his readers, and exhausts his vocabulary in search of phrases which a boat-boy would be ashamed to utter. " A tool of others." " a veritable Goliah," " insulted," "stigmatized," " disgraced," "damned," "foul and false," "ambuscade," "Satanic reluctance." are specimens of the choice epithets he indulges in. We will not retort in such language nor indulge in personalities, but simply remind the late director of the government press that it is his official conduct that is called in question, that in the management of the bureau under his charge there appears to be something that needs public explanation. He was entrusted with the public press, and the accounts of that bureau, as passed in by him, are not satisfactory without some explanation. If he considers that he can make no explanations, without compromising his honor, the matter then rests between him and the Legislature, who are the representatives of the public, and who will be, in duty to their constituents, bound to see whether the bureau has been properly or improperly conducted during the last two years. In looking over the returns of the Director for the past few years, we find that the earnings of the office, as paid into the treasury, have been : Annual or Biennnual or in-nial Report Montary of Receipts. Earnings ....\$ 9.555 29 \$787 94 9.048 16 754 01

> Monstrous .- Capt. Coffin, who appears to be always on the lookout for the latest novelty, brought us a radish a few days since, raised by Mr. Lewis of the firm of Lewis & Norton. It measured 12 nches around, and 18 inches in length, though everal inches appeared to have been broken off in

[Correspondence of the Pacific Commercial Advertiser.]

EDITOR OF THE COM. ADVERTISER-SIR :- In the either practiced or intended. Everything that was of election, was said and done openly, and in the pres-

ed irregular in their proceedings at the last election

Here is a short statement of the facts of the case The polls were opened at the prescribed time, and of them, that they might eat his pig and poi perhaps, and then perhaps vote for some other candidate that after the election, he would ascertain whether So much for vote by ballot and universal suffrage

such tickets had been duly handed in. who requested the vote, and who promised it.

To sum up, I admit that there was irregular v commencing to count the tickets before five o'clock; but I think that the rejected votes were properly and legally rejected. I deny that there was any fraud, except on the part of the man who before the counting took place, agreed to it, and afterwards by his acts in procuring more votes, agreed to it, and who substantially drew back from his agreement. I feel pretty sure that if he had not put in the bribery tickets and that had all the votes put in for him been legal, not one of the other candidates would have been base enough to petition against his return on the grounds that the counting had commenced at four o'clock, with the assent of all of them.

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EXCELSIOR .- Mr. A. Cleghorn has recently reloved his store to the corner of Queen and Kaanumanu streets-the premises formerly occupied by J. T. Waterhouse. This is one of the finest ocations for business in Honolulu, and those wishing to buy will not be long in finding out that he has one of the finest collections of

Collegiate. - The annual examination of the tudents and scholars of Oahu College, will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday next. The rhetorical exercises will take place on Thursday evening May 29th, at the Fort Street Church All interested in education are invited to attend he examination and exhibition.

FOR THE EAST .- The Comet will sail on Saturday, if not before, taking a fair freight. Among he passengers booked to go by her, we notice the ame of Dr. S. Long and wife, U. S. Consul at Lahaina; E. P. Bond and family, of Lahaina,

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SHORTEST TIME.-We omitted to notice just week that the news brought by the John T. ously received. Washington telegrams of April 29th were read here on the 12th of May-13 days through. By some vessel making a ten

days passage, we may yet receive news in a still HAWAIIAN DICTIONARY .- We hear that this work, on which Judge Andrews has been engaged for the past few years, is about ready to be printed. Would it not be well for the Nobles or Representatives, to take some steps to learn the facts, and make such provision as may be required to have the work pripted as soon as it

#### A CARD.

is ready?

WASHINGTON, 6th March, 1862. Since reaching here, I have been informed by kind friends in Honolulu, that, as soon as my back had been turned, and where I suppose it was thought I could not be heard from a vil slander was started against me, as will presently appear.

In the hands of the people of Honolulu, vould trust my life my property, and that which is still dear r, my character. I shall therefore scorn to make a defense against the cowardly calumny, but shall make a statement which will brand the authors, whoever they may be, so that the finger of scorn will be pointed at them. There can only be two-possibly threeand, before I am done with them here, they will regret the part they have taken. The case of one of the parties is already attended to, and one of the others will not be neclected. But to the slander-which was to the effect, that "I had taken away funds belonging to an estate; that that was not the only

funds I had taken either-but I had done as Old Pratt did ! Now the fact is, that upon the arrival of my successor, 1 immediately called on him and notified him I was ready to deliver up the office, &c., to him, and all funds in my hands, &c. Some doubt arose in my mind whether some \$1600 or \$1700, "belonging to seamen," and not to the United States, should be placed in his hands, or whether I should settle that amount with the Government direct. I could do either, and I am now informed by the proper officers here, that it "would have been better" for me to have taken the latter course. I, however, pard the amount to Mr. Caldwell, took his receipt, and the amount is now charged to him on the books of the Department. The only other funds in my hands, which had not been paid over, belonged to two estates-Edward Kemp's and H. Borrland's-the two amounting to less than \$700. How this fund was to be disposed of was not a matter of doubt. I was, by the law and instructions, required not to pay it to my successor, but to pay it directly to the Government. Mr. Dougherty, who was affording my success or the benefit of his experience, at first thought, that that fund should remain still longer in the office; but the day after, he came up to the office and said after looking at the law, he was satisfied that he was in error.

Well, I charged myself in the books with the amount—
have settled here every cent, and the Government has paid me the balance due me, after settling the above, of some eleven hundred dollars. Thus, after my long connection with the Government, I have the antisfaction to say that I have an "honorable discharge," and not one cent standing against me on the books of the Government. I indulge the hope that the Government may be as fortunate with others.

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For Bowrox—per Arctic, May 20—139 casks and 160 pkgs (56,900 galls) whale oil, 4,540 hides, 54 bills (8,391) goof skins, 34 bules (4,921 lbs) wool, 7 casks and 8 pkgs tailow, 1 chest books, 1 bill calf skins, 20 kegs and 2 bags coffee, 18 kegs arrow-root, 3 pkgs old copper, 8 bas and 19 pkgs unspecified miles.

MEMORANDA.

strictly adhered to by the Minister.

over their offices, " To Let." No sum appears in the budget to provide for the exchequer bills maturing during the current two years, though the Minister in his report states that \$97,000 will become due in that period. Is the non-insertion of this, an oversight, or does the Minister intend to suspend payment, or does he consider that he has the authority to borrow and pay \$100,000 with-If \$97,000 of the debt mature during the next provided for; and if inserted as it should be, the

that it was only a hair that broke the camel's Taking into view the above extraordinary omission of \$97,000 in the budget as laid before the house, and also the errors in the Minister's report as pointed out by us last week, of which no explanation has been made, and which, had they occurred in a mercantile establishment's account, would have obtained for the author a "ticket of leave,"-taking into view these

With these criticisms on the details of the Budget, we feel sound to give the Ministers all the credit they so richly deserve for the care and consideration they have evinced in preparing a Budget that, besides its many really judicious and sound suggestions upon administrative points, combines that great advantage of being below the estimated receipts of the Treasury. The simple comparison of \$735,482, the appropriation by the Legislature of 1860, and \$485,243,95, the estimated expenditures for 1864, 3, thouse consultance of the treasury.

ed to be issued with such errors.

A variety of interesting matter prepared for

The above table will exhibit at a glance what have been the average monthly earnings of the public press for the periods specified. During the administration of Mr. Hall it averaged over \$750 per month. But even up to April, 1861, it averaged nearly five hundred dollars per month. It was about this period that negotiaions for a lease for the office were commenced, and suddenly we see the monthly receipts drop to an average of \$167.69, though it is well known that there was no special depression in the printing business. To this remarkable discrepancy, occurring on the eve of the lease, is what we call public attention, and if the editor of the Polynesian considers it beneath his dignity to offer any explanation, or treats this matter with contempt, as he did last week, we respectfully call the attention of the Legislature to the subject, as one in which the public have an important interest. NOTES OF THE WEEK. MAY 20TH -The 4th anniversary of the Prince of

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Hawaii, occurred on Tuesday, and was observed as a holiday. At about 11 A. M. the Cavalry Company repaired to the Palace, and received a beautiful silk standard from the hands of Her Majesty the Queen. who accompanied the gift with the following remarks: GENTLEMEN VOLUNTEERS:
This is the anniversary of the birth of my son, the Prince of Hawaii. The ladies of Honolulu have availed themselves of

e occasion to present you with a stand of colors, and devolved a me, the pleasing t sk of being their representative. In their name, therefore, and in my own, I present to you, In their name, therefore, and in my own, I present to you, feathermen, this flag. It is an emblem of the Union of the several islands of this archipelago under one Dynasty, let it also be an emblem of the Union of friendly feelings and good offices between all classes of their inhabitants; and a remembrance in after years of him in whose honor the day has been selected. I need not remind you to remember the Donors, and for my wn part, as a Sovereign and a Mother, permit me to assure you of the perfect confidence. I entertain, that wherever and when-ver that flag is unfurled, it will wave over true and loyal hearts. Lieut. C. H. Judd, commanding in the absence of Capt. Vincent, received the flag on behalf of the

ompany, thanking her as follows for the gift : Your Majesty will permit me, on behalf of the Corps which nd appropriate gift, to acknowledge our high sen, e of the hono one us, by yourself, in becoming the medium through which i s transmitted to us.

The Union of this group under one dynasty, so beautifully ymbolized by the blending colors of this honored fing, is dear o our heavis, and commends itself to our truest devotion; and or loyalty to yourself, to your August Husband, and to the

will always be duly honored, and sacredly cherished, as a toker The cavalry then proceeded to the plains, and at 12 M. Their Majesties the King and Queen, accompanied by the Prince Royal, and escorted by the Rifles, also went thither. The cavalry went through their various evolutions and tournament practice, in which each member had an opportunity to show his horsemanship and skill as a cavalrist. These proceedings appeared to be enjoyed by Their Majesties and the assembled spectators, and certainly were a ovelty and a source of much amusement to all. About 2 P. M. the exhibition broke up, and the spectators and various companies returned to town. Dur-

ing the afternoon, the streets were alive with horsemen and women, as is customary on our holidays. Mr. John Montgomery appears to be very much disturbed on the rice question, and has addressed two communications to the Polynesian on the subject, as though he had been appointed a censor of the press, and the guardian of all the rice patches growing on Hawaii nei. If he esteems himself such, he is welcome to his opinion; but if he has no better grounds for entering the newspaporial ring as a gladiator on the rice question, than he has for appropriating the title of " Pres. R. H. Ag. Soc.," the least said the better. The clause in the Constitution of that Society, which provides that the old officers hold over in case of no election, provides also that there shall be an annual meeting and annual ection of officers, which was not the case. The hold-over clause, as in every other similar constitution, was intended to apply to cases where no election takes place at a regular annual meeting. Mr. M. can, therefore, lay a very slender claim to the office of President, and until some confirmation of it is made, or a new election is had, it will be quite as

prudent to drop all claim to it, as he has wisely done in his last communication to the Polynesian. DOMESTIC PRODUCE .- We have received from Mrs. G. Morris of Kalihi, who has commenced the manufacture of it, a bottle of Tomato Ketchup. We have tried it and consider it much superior to the imported article. It has a freshness and peculiar flavor which renders it a most delicious condiment. Any quantity comatoes can be grown here, at a trifling expense, and we see no reason why the manufacture and export of Ketchup cannot be extensively carried on and made to pay well. We wish Mrs. M. every suc-

NARROW Escape -On Saturday last, a rather refractory horse was being shed at the shop of Mr. Duncan, on King street. A man was placed at his With these remarks, we pass the report and bead, to which was attached a long rope; the horse however, without any very serious injury.

RATHER WET .- Some of our inexperienced young

gentlemen took advantage of the strong breeze which

was blowing on Tuesday last, to take a sail in the harbor. They had not enjoyed themselves very long before a squall struck them quite unexpectedly, which, to their horror and surprise, upset the boat giving them an opportunity to test their swimming qualifications. They succeeded in gaining the boat again, bottom up, from which predicament they were rescued by another boat. "Nothing ventured, nothing won," though perhaps a rather wet bargain Judge Robertson, in the Court House, was broken into through the window, and some \$60 taken there-

from. This is what burglars might boast of as

practicing their art in the halls of Justice.

there, it was proposed to take a short sailing, or rather canoeing trip down the River, and accordingly the party, comprising seven females and three men, the latter to navigate the cance,) started off on the excursion. After proceeding about a mile, and nearing the reef and surf of the sea, the cance got in o one of the swift currents so frequent at the edge of he channel, and without an instant's premonition, the cance filled and sank, leaving the fair excursionists in a somewhat precarious situation, where they must provide for themselves. They being all, however, expert swimmers and perfectly at home in the water, the accident at first only provoked laughter and merriment; but on finding a powerful current sweeping them out to sea more rapidly than they could resist it, they found the danger greater than they anictipated. The spectators on shore, perceiving the accident, started another cance to their rescue, but owing to the number of persons desirous of getting into it, this also capsized and snnk, compeling them all again to trust to their own strength. Seeing all hope of rescue dispelled, our young mermaids boldly determined not to give up, and each struck out heroically for the shore. One of the ladies, in particular, deserves special notice and praise for the assistance given by her to her comrades. With more than Amazonic bravery she succeeded, in the midst of the current and surf, in tearing off the dresses and clothes of the less expert females, which impeded their efforts, thus enabling them better to contend with the watery enemy. She was thus the happy means of saving several if not all their lives. In the name of her friends she will accept their thanks and ours. After having been in the water two hours -from which the danger to which their lives were exposed may be inferred-they all safely reached the shore, none the worse for their unexpected bath. Had the party been composed of foreign ladies, nine chances out of en, they would have been drowned.

pulling it out of the ground.

Koelaulon Election.

ast issue of your paper, I see stated in the proceedings of the House of Representatives that "the Inspectors of election and more particularly the Presiding officer were freely censured as the authors of this most fraudulent and spurious election." On this I beg to remark that the statement that the election was fraudulent is simply untrue. There was no fraud, said and done at Hanula by the inspectors on the day ence of the candidates and electors. In the absence, on one of the other Islands, of the Presiding officer of the Board of Inspectors, the Rev. M. Kuaea, I must also protest against any extra blame being awarded to him for anything which may be consider-

were kept open until five o'clock. Every ballot tendered by a legally qualified elector was received and placed in the ballot box. The name of each elector was duly recorded by the Clerk when the ballot was tendered, and at the close, the number of names recorded tallied with the number of ballots received. The whole number of electors in the district is about three hundred. Nearly the whole of the ballotting was over by twelve o'clock, as it always is in this District, with the distinct understanding that the ballot box was to remain open until five o'clock, in case any more should come in. This proposal was made, because two of the Inspectors had to ride home a distance of two miles, and one of the candidates six miles farther. I must here observe that at a former election in this District, the same thing was done with the consent of the candidates, as there had not been any votes recorded after twelve o'clock. On that occasion, when Ukeke was found to have a majority of twenty-five, the other candidate admitted that he did not expect to have any more, and Ukeke was declared duly elected, and took his seat accordingly. At this last election of Jan. 6th, 1862, all four candidates, viz, Ukeke, Kahalewai, Naukana and Kupau, agreed to the proposal in presence of many We, the Inspectors and the Clerk, accordingly commenced to sort out the tickets of each candidate, and to verify the number inscribed on the rolls. It was found when the papers were unrolled, that on twenty eight of the ballot papers containing the name of Ukeke, there was also written anothname, in some instances above his name, in others low, and in some on the back. The other candidates objected to such papers being counted for Ukeke. They stated, and I think with reason, that as there was but one representative to be elected for District, it was impossible for the Inspectors or the by-standing electors to pronounce with certainty, for which of the two parties named the elector, who had deposited the ballot, wished to record his vote. On hearing both sides and on referring to the law, the Inspectors decided on rejecting such ballot papers containing two names. For my part, I have not yet heard or seen any good reasons for altering my nion on this part of the matter. All the candidates then. Ukeke along with the others, exerted mselves to procure more votes. Ukeke and Kahaewai each procured several more, which were duly eceived by the Inspectors, in presence of the candidates and of the electors; and at five o'clock, Kahalewai was found to have a majority of eight, and was declared duly elected, and received his certificate ordingly. Ukeke did not then claim that he was duly elected, or that Kahalewai was unduly elected. could scarcely have done so with any decency in the presence of all the persons who had heard him agree to the proceedings an hour before. We afterwards learnt that Ukeke had given a feast to the ctors in his neighborhood, and had distributed his pallot papers to his guests on that occasion. That he had said to some of the guests that he was not sure To make sure of them, he told them that he would write their names on the tickets he gave them, and

One of the Inspectors, Kuaea, told me that he had warned Ukeke before the polling began, that there would be trouble about those tickets. I think it is unreasonable to require from the Inspectors that they should at sight of a ticket containing two names, where but one candidate can be returned, be able to ide who cooked the pig and poi, and who ate it,

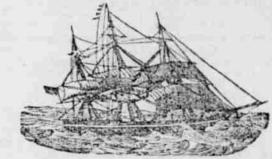
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